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Applicant: Katsunori KANEKO et al. Conf.:
Appl. No.: 09/188,190 Group: 3748
Filed: November 10, 1998 Examiner: T. Nguyen
For: EXHAUST GAS PURIFYING APPARATUS OF AN
INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE (AS AMENDED)

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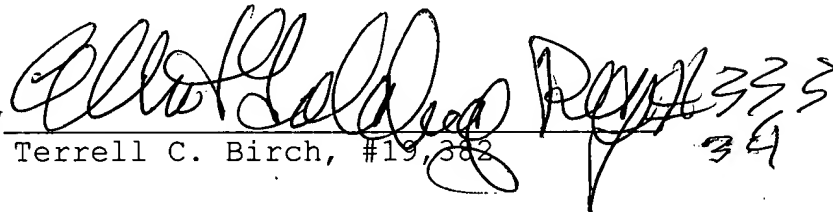
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REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Sir:

In reply to the Examiner's Office Action dated October 30, 2000, the due date for reply having been extended one (1) month to February 28, 2001, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

AMENDMENT

IN THE ABSTRACT

Please cancel the Abstract in its entirety and insert the Abstract that appears at the end of this Reply.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

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